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For: MULTIPLE STAYOUT ZONES FOR
GROUND-BASED BRIGHT OBJECT
EXCLUSION

:Examiner:

DECLARATIONCommissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

We, David D. Needelman, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 3119 W. 187th Place, Torrance, CA 90504, Richard A. Fowell, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 4604 Rockbluff Drive, Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274, Peter C. Lai, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 424 La France Avenue #C, Alhambra, CA 91801, Rongsheng Li, a citizen of the United States of America, residing, at 2521 S. Anvil Tree Lane, Hacienda Heights, CA 91745, and Yeong-Wei A. Wu, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 28525 Cedarbluff Drive Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 92075, hereby declare:

That we made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application Serial No.10/709,348, filed in the United States of America on April 29, 2004, entitled "Multiple Stayout Zones For Ground-Based Bright Object Exclusion."

That we made and conceived this invention while employed by The Boeing Company. That the invention is related to the work we are employed to perform and was made within the scope of our employment duties;

That the invention was made during working hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services of The Boeing Company.

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The undersigned inventors declare further that all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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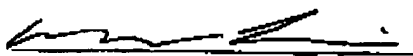
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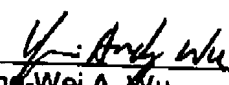
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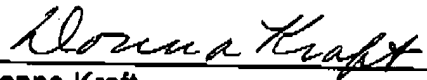
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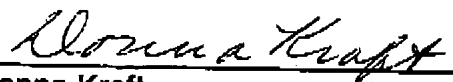
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